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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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For: **Classification Engine in a Cryptography Acceleration Chip**
Inventors: KRISHNA *et al.*
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111;
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a);
3. Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
4. A listing of the cited documents on Form PTO/SB/08A;
5. One (1) return postcard; and
6. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$400.00 to cover:
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